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Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A computer-implemented method for bypassing disk I/O operations included in ~~said~~ a computer, ~~said~~ the computer having a computer program application that includes ordered computer code, ~~said~~ the ordered computer code including disk I/O access commands, ~~said~~ the computer being optimized for support of queued ~~said~~ disk I/O access commands, the method comprising:

using asynchronous direct ~~said~~ disk I/O access commands in ~~said~~ the application ordered computer code;

~~locating~~ ~~said~~ identifying the asynchronous direct disk I/O access commands ~~that are included~~ in ~~said~~ the application ordered computer code; and

bypassing ~~said~~ the support of the queued disk I/O access commands of ~~said~~ the computer by executing ~~said~~ the asynchronous direct disk I/O access commands.

2. (Currently Amended) The computer-implemented method of Claim 1, further comprising:

including an operating system in ~~said~~ the computer; and

bypassing ~~said~~ the support of queued disk I/O access commands of ~~said~~ the computer when porting ~~said~~ the computer program application from ~~said~~ the ~~computer~~ operating system to a different operating system.